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Dear Parents and Carers,

Class Four, Tag Rugby, Park School

The children demonstrated amazing teamwork and encouragement for each other at the tag rugby tournament this week.



Class Three, Monday 19th March, Beach Clean at Northam Burrows

Your child will need to be dropped off at Belle Meadow car park (Brannams car park opposite the bus station) at 8.40 am where Miss Prowse will be waiting. They will need to wear their school uniform, comfortable shoes/wellington boots and bring a warm waterproof coat, warm hat and gloves a packed lunch and non-fizzy drink. Please collect your child from the Belle Meadow car park at 3.15 pm.

Wednesday 21st March, Flute & Piano Performance, St Gregory's Church

There will be a short concert given at 11.45 am in St Gregory's Church by the children studying the piano and flute with Mrs Nicholls. It will last about 15 minutes; parents of the children are very welcome to attend.

All Welcome, Wednesday 21st March, PFTA Easter Bingo, Goodleigh Village Hall

We are very excited to be holding this event again this year in the Village Hall. We would be grateful for donations of Easter eggs or other chocolate items please could these be handed in to the School Office by Tuesday 20th March at 9.00 am.

Whole School, Friday 23rd March, Sport Relief

On Friday the children may wear something sporty for a donation.

School Dinner payments

Please send in any arrears and the amount due for the last week of term by Friday 23rd March as our accounts need to be balanced at the end of each term. Please make cheques payable to Devon County Council, or send cash in a sealed, marked envelope. Thank you for your co-operation with this.

Kind regards,



Kate Grant

Head of Teaching and Learning

Diary Dates

Monday 19 th March	Class 3, Beach Clean at Northam Burrows, Belle Meadow Car Park drop off at 8.40 am and pick up at 3.15 pm from Belle Meadow Car Park
Wednesday 21 st March	Flute and Piano Concert, St Gregory's Church at 11.45 am PFTA Easter Bingo, doors open at 6.30 pm, eyes down at 7.00 pm
Thursday 22 nd March	Class 4, Mini Concert with Yazzy
Friday 23 rd March	Sport Relief
Monday 26 th March	David Insua, Cao Percussion Concert Whole school
Monday 26 th March -	Class 4, Alex Rider Spy Academy Residential
Thursday 29 th March	
Wednesday 28 th March	Class 1, Visit to Powderham Castle
Thursday 29 th March	Last Day of Term



PFTA SPRING NEWSLETTER

March 2018

Dear Parents, Carers, Friends and Teachers,

Spring is finally here and hopefully some warmer, sunnier weather ahead - Yay! Many thanks to all who supported our winter cake sales and events over Christmas – it is always a frantic time of year but, with all your help, the PFTA raised a good amount for the children's school enrichment programmes and lots of fun was had by all.

Our apologies to those who were looking forward to the Quiz Night last month – we just didn't have enough folks interested to break even unfortunately, but there are many family/child events planned to keep us busy ahead!

Easy Fundraising has exceeded our expectations! In its first year, together we have raised £118 – which is fabulous – so a huge 'Thank you' to its 18 members who have taken the time to sign up and use this site for all their online shopping (easyfundraising.co.uk) – it really does make a difference and with everyone thinking of booking their Summer holidays at the moment, now's a great time to link up and get signed in (ask any PFTA members for more details!)

Thanks also go to everyone who stashed away their unwanted clothes for the November Bags 2 School collection – we raised £124, doubling our winter collection amount from the previous year! Next collection in May.

Our Lucky Numbers draw continues every month and has, once again, increased in numbers this year - now a winning monthly draw of £14! If anyone would like to be included, just pop your name, telephone number and lucky number you would like, together with £12 for the year, into an envelope marked Lucky Number Draw and leave in the office – we will do the rest.

Dates for your calendars:

- **Easter Bingo** – Wed 21 Mar, 6.30pm at the Village Hall – details below.
- **Funderzone** – Fri 27 Apr – for all Goodleigh School children.
- **Bags 2 School** – Thu 3 May.

Easter Bingo – Wed 21 Mar – Doors open 6.30, eyes down at 7pm

Our annual event is happening again next week and, as always, we would love your chocolate Egg donations to use as prizes on the night please. There will be the usual refreshments and cakes available for this fun, family meet up, so please keep the date free and bring any chocolate into the School office by Tue 20 Mar at 9am. Thank you.

Future Events

Summer will see our annual Sports Day and it has also been agreed to hold our 2nd Summer Fayre once again this year. Last year's Fayre was such a success that we aim to build on that and increase the fun this year, so please keep that Friday after school clear for us – date tbc. We will be asking for donations of both sweets and 'Jolly Jars' so have a think about how fun you can make your jars – be as imaginative as possible with the fillings and maybe we will have a prize for the best! Please, also, could you save any teddys/soft toys you may be thinking of rehoming – adoption scheme in progress!

And lastly, it would also be really great to have a few new volunteers to help run a stall/table or possibly donate a prize from your workplace, so if you think you could help with anything, just let us know nearer the time – thank you.

Any new information will be posted on the School Newsletters so please keep an eye out for the PFTA notices.

Thanks for reading and BRING ON THE 'SUN' & GAMES! ☺

The PFTA Team

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– our cause name: Goodleigh Primary PFTA***